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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMITTEE MANAGEMENT SECRETARIAT, GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

SUBJECT: Administrative Suspension – Missouri River (North Dakota) Task Force

The Department of Defense (DoD) requests the Committee Management Secretariat administratively suspend the Missouri River (North Dakota) Task Force ("the Task Force"), a non-discretionary advisory committee.

Pursuant to section 705(a) of the Water Resources Development Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-541), the DoD established the Task Force on December 1, 2000. The Task Force membership is composed of ex-officio, regular government employee members and the North Dakota Missouri River Trust ("the Trust"). The Trust, in turn, is composed of 12 members recommended by the Governor of North Dakota and 4 members representing each of the 4 Indian tribes in the State of North Dakota.

The Task Force lacks sufficient membership to operate at this time and, as such, the DoD proposes to administratively suspend the Task Force until the Governor of North Dakota recommends individuals for appointment consideration by the Secretary of Defense.

If you should have any questions about this matter please contact me at 703-695-5952.

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